

REPORT OF G. T. PURDY.

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RE: William Stevens.

Operative went to Plainfield, N. J. and interviewed Ralph Smalley of 121 Watchung Avenue in regards to one John Manley who is rumored to be a man who roams around Plainfield, N. J. and is subject to epileptic fits, and in appearance resembles Willie Stevens. Mr. Smalley states that he knows this man and at present represents Mrs. Smalley. He also says that Manley resembles Willie Stevens, and he states that at times this man wore a derby hat. He does not wear glasses. This man lived at 127 East Main Street, and is at present in the New Jersey State Hospital at ~~Xxanton~~ Grey-stone Park, New Jersey, Morristown. His wife still resides at the above address. This man often wandered around and took fits and became violent at times. Mr. Smalley states that he will try and get a picture from Mrs. Manley of her husband. He will also try and get further information about this man, as he states that he had been doing work in this matter for Senator Case. I then went to Police Headquarters and interviewed Sergt. Leorch. He informs me that the police often received calls about this man taking fits; a policeman would be sent to where he was and then he would be brought home. He was known to wander around